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SENATOR DUIS: I just merely want to ask unanimous consent to place LB 580 on general file for tomorrow, bracket it for tomorrow.

SPEAKER: Any objection to that? If not, so ordered. Senator Stahmer, were you asking for the floor? Senator Luedtke?

SENATOR LUEDTKE: Mr. President, point of personal privilege.

SPEAKER: State your point.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: Speaking on the point of personal privilege. As to the introduction of this last bill, I just asked Senator Duis, if it were possible for the revisor of Statutes to take care of such a error or omission and he advises me that they were told that he could not and I am wondering if several of us in this body are not wondering just what the authority of the revisor is to take care of, of typographical errors of this kind or of any kind and I think that we ought to have some clarification as members of this legislature from the Attorney General, as to exactly what, what can a revisor do on minor typographical errors that have gone through the process of the Governors final signature.

SPEAKER: Senator Duis.

SENATOR DUIS: I'm certainly with you all the way, Senator Luedtke, but in this particular instance, it was an A, a B that was in place of a sub-section place instead of a sub-section A but it merely referred back to the sub-section A, and I understand that they felt as though the revisor Statutes should not take upon himself to change this, these meanings of a B to an A because a typographical error actually changes the complete meaning. But I'm sure with you all the way. If this could be corrected by the Revisor Statutes, I certainly hate to go through this process.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: Well, I just asked the question because if there are two A's in a row, it seems to me, isn't that what we're left with? Or two B's?

SENATOR DUIS: No, actually what happened. We had an A, and then typographically they thought the next one should be a B, but it referred back to the A, so they had to change the B to an A, actually now we have two A's in a row.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: I see, all right. But I still think we need some clarification because,

SPEAKER: The Chair suggests that if Senator Luedtke wants further clarification, he consults the Attorney General, but your point is well taken Senator.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: And I think it ought to be advise, everyone ought to be advised. I don't just want to know about it. I think everybody ought to know about it.

SPEAKER: Well, you take responsibility of consulting with the Attorney General. Thank-you Senator Luedtke. Anything further on the Clerks desk?

CLERK: Some further committee reports. Nothing Mr. President.

SPEAKER: Mr. Clerk, are you ready for select file? Senator Cavanaugh.

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: Are there amendments on both of this Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Yes.